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Office of the Attorney General
State of Texas

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Mr. Dick Moore
Constable, Precinct 4
Harris County
6831 Cypresswood Drive
Spring, Texas 77379

OR91-209

Dear Mr. Moore:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, article 6252-17a, V.T.C.S. Your request was assigned ID# 12106.

Specifically, you ask about the availability of accident reports. Release of accident reports is governed by section 47 of article 6701d, V.T.C.S. Accident reports submitted by peace officers after January 1, 1970, are public records. We have enclosed a copy of the applicable statute.

Because statutory provisions, resolve your request, we are resolving this matter with this informal letter ruling rather than with a published open records decision. If you have questions about this ruling, please refer to OR91-209.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sarah Woelk".

Sarah Woelk
Assistant Attorney General
Opinion Committee

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Ref.: ID# 12106

Enclosure: copy of V.T.C.S. art. 6701d, § 47.

cc: Dr. Arthur H. Cornett
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